

IRRIGATION IS DISCUSSED

Conference of Nebraska and Wyoming Representatives in Progress.

MEETING IS AT THE OMAHA CLUB

General Manderson Calls Session to Order and Discusses Irrigation Problem.

The conference at the Omaha club of the senators and representatives from Nebraska and Wyoming in the United States congress was an informal affair yesterday and the discussion ranged over the broad fields of both states, from sheep herding to agriculture.

When the meeting assembled at 11 o'clock General Manderson was chosen chairman and Congressman Buzick secretary. General Manderson opened the discussion by stating the objects of the meeting. He referred to the bill introduced by him a few years ago in the senate providing for the construction of the semi-arid lands in this state by the United States to the state government, and said that while he had no further interest in the passage of the measure, save as a citizen of the country, as such citizen of the country.

Referring to the proposition of the National Irrigation congress and of its secretary, George Maxwell, General Manderson said that from his knowledge of the conditions prevailing in congress these propositions could not be carried out, as the representatives of the southern and eastern states would never consent to the further development of the agricultural lands of the west, as their settlement had already destroyed land values in the eastern part of the country. It might be possible, he said, that sometime the western representatives may be in a position to trade an appropriation for rivers and harbors for one for irrigation, but that time is remote and action in the matter of developing the western semi-arid lands must be immediate.

Governor Richards Talks.

Speaking of the effects of the leasing of large tracts of lands to private parties in Wyoming under the provisions of the law by which the United States ceded to the state certain lands, Governor Richards said that the plan was to lease the land and give to the population of the state a fixed character which it had not heretofore possessed.

This remark brought an expression from Senator Warren of the same state regarding the fencing of government land. The senator at the head of a corporation which has been accused of fencing much land contrary to law, and he admitted that such was the case, but to illustrate his position referred to a checker-board, in which the black squares represented the land granted by the government to the Union Pacific railroad, and the red ones that are still owned by the government. The cattle and sheep raisers have secured by purchase or lease the railroad land, and when they have fenced their possessions, the government land is fenced. The fencing of the government land in this way has been declared illegal, according to the senator, by the United States supreme court, but the owners of the land secured from the railroads are anxious to have the matter held again if possible.

Importance of Grazing.

According to both Governor Richards and Senator Warren the prosperity of the state of Wyoming depended upon the passage of some law permitting the grazers to fence government land, and both hoped that the department would permit the present fences to stand until such time as congress can act in the premises.

There was some discussion as to the view taken of the proposed irrigation of western lands by the sheep raisers and cattlemen. Some of the members present said the grazers were in favor of irrigation, while others believed that they desired present conditions to continue. Mr. Mead is opposed to the government taking the matter of irrigation in hand directly and believes that anything the United States may do in the matter should be done through the state. He favors the plan of the government creating a fund for the erection of reservoirs and the building of ditches, the money to supply this fund to come from the sale of lands in the different states and the money from lands sold to be confined to the states in which the land is situated. He would have this money retained by the general government until such time as the department has approved of the plan to govern the rights of parties in the semi-arid districts with reference to land and water supply.

In the course of his remarks he stated that one reason of his opposition to direct government aid is that it will immediately result in the suspension of private investment in irrigation enterprise, and that it would be in many cases doing something for the people which they should do for themselves.

Senator Dietrich's Plan.

Senator Dietrich of Nebraska briefly stated his plan for the construction of reservoirs and ditches by convict labor, to be supplied from the state and federal prisons and to be guarded by federal troops, the plan providing labor for the convicts where it would not come into competition with free labor and giving the troops something to do in times of peace. He thought that the labor organizations of the country would favor this plan, because it not only took the convicts from competition with them, but it would increase the opportunity for the employment of labor by increasing the number of farms and villages in the west. In some places, said he, one season's work by a number of convicts would reclaim a rich valley and make it possible to have many farms and towns where there is at present little more than a wilderness.

Congressman Neville Wants to Know.

Congressman Neville asked Mr. Mead what provisions was made under his plan for the government of ditches which would originate in one state and flow into another. This rather dumber the expert who replied that in none of the bills submitted to congress had provisions been made for such cases.

Senator Manderson then suggested as a matter for consideration during the luncheon hour the following question: Is there in the constitution of the United States or in the constitutions of the several states any provision which would give either the United States or the several states power to pass any law regulating ditches constructed wholly in one state and partly in another. Adjournment was then taken for luncheon.

Those present at the conference are Senators Warren of Wyoming, Dietrich and Millard of Nebraska, Governor Richards of Wyoming, Congressman Mead, Burdett, Neville and Shallenberger of Nebraska and General Manderson.

Afternoon Session.

The afternoon session of the conference opened with a discussion of the question of water rights as applied to several states, where a stream passed through more than one state. The Platte river was taken as

an example and the argument centered around it. "Does any state or the nation have power," it was asked, "to say that the state at the headwaters of the river cannot exhaust the stream before it reaches the borders of the state below?" This question caused much discussion. The representatives from Wyoming and Elwood Mead, the government expert, who is a resident of Wyoming, held that while state at the headwaters should be permitted to take all the water necessary, while the Nebraska representatives saw in the discussion a matter which would bring about a division of interest in congress, as they believed that their constituents would be in favor of some regulation whereby the amount of water to be drawn from the stream by the upper state would be limited. The matter was not decided, being passed over informally, as none of the representatives were ready to submit a proposition covering the point.

Yeas and Question Arises.

Then came up a yeas question, upon which the conference seemed to be about evenly divided, and that was whether the United States government or the several states should control the irrigating plants after their construction. Mr. Mead represented the views of those who believed in all the embankments and excavations from these stocks in fine edges and wide widths, worth up to 25c, slightly mused, 30c to 35c, 50c and 75c yard.

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